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Applicant: Tsuneyuki KIKUCHI

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METHOD FOR COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM.

AND RECORDING MEDIUM

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- [X] Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).
- [X] Specification, Claims, and Abstract (58 pages).
- [X] Formal drawings (8 sheets, Figures 1-8).
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages).
- [X] Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
 - [X] Assignment of the invention to NEC CORPORATION.
 - [X] Claim for Convention Priority with (1) Priority Document.



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